

Local and Other Items.

NARROWS OYSTERS—at Vatcher's. TABLEAU at the concert in Prince Street School.

Ulster Cloths selling very cheap at Perkins & Sterns. GENTS TIES in great variety, at D. A. Bruce's.

BAZAAR DRESSMAKER—fall and winter—just received at Beer Bros. COME to the Market Hall to-night. Good music, good speeches, etc., etc.

BEST VALUE in Blankets and Bed Quilts at Perkins & Sterns. WORTH SEEING.—The seal in Hazard & Moore's show window is attracting much attention.

POSTPONED.—Sale at C. I. Morrison's is postponed till Friday evening, 19th inst. See future notice.

Balance of stock of Dolls at half-price at Perkins & Sterns. CONCERT.—To-morrow evening the pupils of Prince Street School will give their concert, commencing at 8 o'clock.

MARKET HALL.—Go and hear Miss Earle sing "O where is my boy to-night," at Market Hall this evening.

SCOTT ACT RALLY.—Do not forget the grand Scott Act rally to-night in the Market Hall. All welcome. No charge.

THE SPEAKERS.—Messrs. Brewer, Cahill, Sutherland and James will speak at the Market Hall to-night. Go and hear them.

THE STANLEY did not leave Georgetown for Plouffe until eleven o'clock to-day, owing to the unfavorable weather. She is expected back this evening.

WHEN you are passing Beer & Goff's stores take a look in and see their magnificent display of Xmas confectionery, figs, nuts, dates, peels, table raisins, etc.

FREDERIC YOUNG.—A few extra numbers of the Dominion Illustrated with portrait of Fred. Young, the funeral procession, etc., are at the Diamond Bookstore.

Y. M. C. A.—The sale of magazines and papers at the Y. M. C. A. Reading Room will be a first-rate opportunity to procure choice reading matter at less than half price.

The balance of our Fancy Goods, suitable for Christmas presents, are now selling at a discount.—Perkins & Sterns.

BEER & GOFF has just received their supply of new dates and figs. Also, 30 kegs of the finest green grapes imported here this year.

SCOTT ACT.—A general meeting of the supporters of the Scott Act will be held in McLeod's Hall on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Important business. A full attendance requested.

I. O. G. T.—Charlottetown Lodge, No. 1, meets this evening at 7.30 sharp, for initiation and other business. Officers and members requested to attend. Degree team please be punctual.—W. H. Clark, Sec'y.

CHRISTMAS TREE.—The Methodists of Hunter River intend holding a Christmas Tree and concert in connection with the Sabbath School, on Christmas eve, 24th inst. An admission fee of 10 cents will be charged.

MISSIONARY MEETING.—A public meeting, under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society of the Second Methodist Church, was held in that church last evening. There was a very large attendance. Rev. W. W. Brewer presided. Addresses were given by the chairman, Rev. W. H. Spargo, and Mr. Sutcliffe, evangelist. There were also several recitations by little girls and some singing by the choir. A collection was taken up at the close.

THEY DON'T TAKE.—A St. John despatch of the 15th says: The grit meeting to-night in Mechanics' institute could scarcely be called a success. The building will only seat 800 and there was no rush. Everybody who sought admission was able to get in. Little or no enthusiasm was displayed, even Laurier and Davies failing to warm up the crowd. Laurier spoke at length on reciprocity and was followed by Davies, Fisher and Gillmore.

LECTURE.—Hon. Senator Howland repeated his highly interesting and instructive lecture on "Ourselves," in St. Patrick's Hall last evening, to a fair audience. The lecture was given under the auspices of the League of the Cross, and the President of that society, Rev. P. A. McElmeel, occupied the chair. The lecture was listened to with the greatest attention throughout. At the close a hearty vote of thanks was tendered the lecturer, to which he replied in suitable terms.

"OUR SOCIETY."—This is the title of a new paper issued at Halifax, N.S., the first number of which appeared on Dec. 5th. It announces itself as "a weekly record of society and sports in the Maritime Provinces." A column is set apart for the benefit of P. E. Island and its people. The tone of the paper is high and in pleasing contrast with the defunct newspapers. Copies may be had at the Diamond Bookstore.

AN UNTRUE REPORT.—It is pleasing to learn that there is no truth whatever in the story that a man was drowned last evening while crossing the ice between Charlottetown and Rocky Point. A seal was observed on the ice off one of the wharves, and some young men started out to capture it, but it suddenly disappeared when they got within a short distance of where it was. Hence the story of the drowning.

THE TIES.—There are marriage ties, and friendly ties, and the ties which business makes; There are solemn ties, and merry ties, and the ties in betting stakes; There are builders' ties, and railway ties, which an actor can recall. But the HOLIDAY TIES, which we advertise, are the prettiest ties of all.

D. A. BRUCE.

Half-price.—A lot of fancy baskets at half-price. Call and get one at James Paton & Co's.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER. Sawtelle's Murder Case.

GREAT FALLS, N. H., Dec. 17. The jury in the Sawtelle murder case started from Dover for Rochester at 8 this morning to view the scene of the tragedy in Rochester, East Rochester and Lebanon, Maine. They are in charge of the deputy sheriffs of the county. Isaac Sawtelle, the prisoner, goes with them, and will be taken to all the points within New Hampshire lines which the jury visit. The will not be allowed to pass into the state of Maine, which is beyond the jurisdiction of the sheriffs.

ROCHESTER, N. H., Dec. 17. Upon their arrival at Rochester, the jury, with the prisoner, sheriff and others, visited in teams all the places in the vicinity connected with the story of the tragedy. Leave will be left at East Rochester while the jury will be driven across the bridge into Maine, where other points, including the grove where the body was found, etc., will be visited. The jury will then return to Rochester, and the entire party will take the 4.48 train for Dover.

Ottawa Notes. OTTAWA, Dec. 17. A cable from Sir Charles Tupper to-day states that a cargo of Canadian turkeys just arrived were sold readily, being eagerly sought after by local traders.

The exhibitors at the Jamaica Exhibition who desire railway and steamboat certificates, are requested to apply immediately, as the commissioner will leave in a few days.

Private Secretary Roy has been appointed Secretary of the department of the Public Works, Vice-president Cahill promoted. The English Society of Authors having intimated that they do not object to the principle of the Canadian Copyright Act, it is generally believed here that the English publishing monopolies will have to withdraw their objections and allow the act to receive the Imperial sanction.

Parnell's Eyes Injured. DUBLIN, Dec. 17. Though Parnell suffered intense pain from the effects of the lime thrown in his eyes at Castle Comer yesterday, he was able at midnight last night to address from the window of the Victoria Hotel at Kilkenny, a large crowd that gathered. The crowd became exasperated at the manner in which Parnell had been treated. Many threats of vengeance were made. His sight will not be injured unless inflammation sets in.

Great Storm—Loss of Life. ROANOKE, Va., Dec. 17. The roof of the Blacksmith shop of Roanoke Machine Works fell in under a heavy weight of snow this morning. One man was killed and eight seriously injured. The damage to the building and machinery is estimated at \$100,000. The storm was the worst for years. Over two feet of snow has fallen.

To Relieve Distress. DUBLIN, Dec. 17. A meeting was held at Schull yesterday to consider measures for the relief of the distressed people. The chairman of the meeting said that all that saved the populace from absolute starvation was the assistance that was being received from Great Britain.

Disastrous Results of a Collapse. BOMBAY, Dec. 17. A house in the native quarters of this city containing 100 inmates, collapsed to-day. Thirty persons were killed and many injured.

A Reproof. SIR.—The Guardian of last evening attempts to account for the decrease in the number of arrests for drunkenness during the years 1878, 1879 and 1883, by charging it to the temperance wave which passed over Charlottetown during D. Banks McKenzie's visit. The editor of the Guardian must have been a very small boy at the time of which he writes, and consequently cannot have sufficient personal knowledge of the "wave" to discuss the matter, but must depend on others for his information. On this ground his inaccuracies may be excused.

These of us who remember the time know full well that the men and women who took the blue ribbon were never in the lock up in their lives or in the dock for drunkenness. The class of people who took the pledge, was composed not of the class that unfortunately fall into the hands of the police, but of church goers, and in some instances Sunday School teachers. In fact, some of the very men who are now advocating the retention of the Scott Act were amongst the number. I challenge the editor of the Guardian to name one man who joined the band that had ever previously been arrested for drunkenness.

If the Guardian writer wishes to verify the foregoing, he can easily do so by enquiring of the lady that had charge of the bowling alley and refreshment saloon which was started in the Athenaeum as an outcome of the McKenzie's movement. Ask her whether any of the former drunks who adorned the police court dock ever darkened her door.

Crediting to Banks McKenzie the decrease of the number of arrests in the years referred to is pure childish nonsense and nothing more.

REPROVER.

English-made Cardigans for men, cheap at Paton & Co's.

SELLING OFF! R. K. BRACE is selling off his large stock of CROCKERY. Everything marked down from 10 to 30 per cent. for One Month.

Great Bargains for Xmas! Everybody should call and see prices. Goods shown freely. Dolls and Toys for hundreds of good Boys and Girls, and a Moustache Cup for the Young Men. The best and cheapest Groceries in the County. Confectionery, Raisins, Currants, Spices, Canned Strawberries, Blueberries and Clams.

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MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's father, on the 15th inst., by the Rev. John Read, Mr. John H. Cairns, to Miss Gertrude Elizabeth Mitchell, both of Charlottetown.

DIED.

At Winsloe Road, Lot 33, on the 18th of December, after five days' illness, of pneumonia, Elizabeth, beloved wife of James Carter, in the 62nd year of her age. She leaves a husband, five sons and four daughters, together with her aged mother and a large circle of relatives, to mourn their loss. "Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord."

[Funeral will leave her late residence for the Cemetery at Winsloe South, on Saturday, at 2 o'clock, p. m.]

At Hunter River, on the 27th of November last, Elizabeth Alice Maud, dearly beloved daughter of George S. and Mary Jane McLeod, aged 2 years and 8 months. Suffered little children to come unto Me and for I will them not for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven.

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TEN CASES of FANCY GOODS opening to-day at Diamond Bookstore.

LATEST Designs in Christmas Presents opening at Diamond Bookstore.

CALL and select your Presents and be happy at the Diamond Bookstore.

THEO. L. CHAPPELLE, DIAMOND BOOKSTORE. Ch'town, Dec. 16, 1890—3i eod

CONCERT. A CONCERT WILL BE GIVEN IN PRINCE STREET SCHOOL, BY THE PUPILS, On Friday Next, 19th inst.

Doors open at 7.30 o'clock, p. m. Concert begins at 8. Admission, 15 cents. dec13-dy fl 19th

NEW GOODS —FOR THE— Holiday Trade —AT— SANDERSON & CO'S.

New Layer Raisins, New Valencia Layer Raisins, New Cooking Raisins, New Currants, Nuts and Confectionery.

New Dates, New Figs, New Stewing Prunes, New Lemons, New Florida Oranges.

—ALSO— A large stock of Pink Table Jelly (assorted flavors), Keiller's Jams and Jelly, Raspberry Vinegar, Van Houtan's Cocoa, Fry's Chocolate and Cocos, Rowntree's Chocolates and Confectionery, Fine Scotch Oatmeal (in 7 lb. tins), English Golden Syrup (superior quality).

Our Choice Blended 32 Cent Tea has become very popular, and our 24 Cent Tea continues to keep away ahead of everything in the market.

SANDERSON & CO., Newsom's Block, South Side of Queen Square, Opposite Post Office. dec11-dy 1m eod wky

Hon. Mr. Laurier's Visit. THE HON. WILFRED LAURIER, M. P., Leader of the Liberal Party of Canada, will address a

Mass Public Meeting —IN THE— MARKET HALL, CHARLOTTETOWN, ON THE EVENING OF Monday, 22nd December, instant, on the Public Questions of the Day.

Mr. Laurier will be accompanied by several Prominent Members of the House of Commons, who, it is expected, will also deliver addresses.

Tickets will be issued from all Stations on the Railway to Charlottetown on the 22nd inst., the day of the meeting, good to return next day.

The doors will be open at 7 p. m., and the chair will be taken at 8 o'clock, sharp.

THOMAS W. DODD, President Liberal Association. H. C. MACDONALD, Secretary Liberal Association. dec10-eod and wky

OUR BARGAIN TIME!

J. B. MACDONALD

Has always made a custom, during the Holiday Season, of giving the Very Best Bargains given during the year. He would like to see everybody happy, and can assure everyone who patronize his Store and buy his goods will be happy.

Giving Extraordinary Bargains in Overcoats and Reefers, Ladies' Dress Goods very cheap. Ladies' Ulster and Mantle Cloths at a great sacrifice.

Bargains in every department at J. B. MACDONALD'S. Charlottetown, December 18, 1890—eod and wky

CHRISTMAS GOODS!

PERKINS & STERNS.

For the right article at a low price, see our display of Fancy Goods—useful and ornamental.

FANCY DRY GOODS IN GREAT VARIETY!

A Big Display of Bohemian Glassware. A Big Display of Plush Goods. A Big Display of Fancy Leather Goods. A Big Display of Japanese Goods.

STAPLE DRY GOODS—VERY CHEAP.

Balance of our stock of Dolls at Half Price. Charlottetown, December 16, 1890.

FUR GOODS!

Best Qualities! Lowest Prices!

Astrakan Jackets, Beaver Capes, Nutria Capes, Ladies' Collars, Ladies' Caps, Boas (all kinds), Muffs in South Sea Seal, Beaver, Beaverette, Sable, Persian Lamb, Astrakan, Opossum, Nutria, etc.

STANLEY BROS., BROWN'S BLOCK.

Charlottetown, December 6, 1890—dy eod wky To All Whom it may Concern.

WHEREAS certain maliciously disposed persons have systematically and persistently been making and circulating false and libellous statements as to my professional qualifications, etc. Take notice, that if this libellous conduct is pursued, I have instructed my Solicitors, Messrs. Peters & Peters, to prosecute any such with the utmost rigor of the law.

GEO. A. BAYNES, M. D., C. M., etc., etc. nov29

SERVANT WANTED.—Wanted, a good general servant. Must have good references and be thoroughly trustworthy. Apply at St. Paul's Rectory, Charlottetown. 1w pd—dec15

From Now Until Xmas

WE OFFER OUR WHOLE STOCK OF PERFUMES AT SPECIAL DISCOUNTS, for we have a big lot of them on hand and must dispose of them during the Holiday Season.

We have the popular Odors, as Crab Apple Blossoms, Cherry Blossom, Bayley's Ess. Bouquet, Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet, Rimmel's White Heliotrope, Piesse and Lubin's Opopanax, Atkinson's White Rose, etc.; Lubin's Jockey Club, etc.; Cleaver's Rondeletia, Ricksecker's Martha Washington, Golden Gate, Mizpah, etc.; Hoyt's Cologne, Genuine Cologne and Florida Waters, etc. Also—Lautier's French Perfumes in bulk, Perfume Atomizers, Sachet Powders, etc. Call and see our stock and get prices at

A. S. JOHNSON'S DRUG STORE, Corner Kent and Prince Streets. Ch'town, Dec. 9, 1890.